Death Note: The Hidden End – Rise of the Two Gods

Takada’s warehouse — the final confrontation between Light Yagami, Near, Matsuda, and the SPK… but this time, things are very different.

Near:
"Light Yagami… or should I say… Kira."

Near throws the papers on the floor. Light smiles confidently, preparing to declare his victory:

Light:
"I am… the god of this world."

But before he finishes, one of the bodyguards’ phones rings. Everyone freezes. The guard picks up… his face turns pale.

Guard:
"S-sir… there’s a leaked file. It says someone used a Death Note years before Kira ever existed!"

Everyone looks confused. Light raises an eyebrow, but Near smirks… he throws a small folded paper on the ground.

On it, one word is written:

“Lucian.”

Flashback — 10 Years Earlier

Ten years before Light ever touched the Death Note…
there was Lucian,a mysterious genius who found the notebook first.

But unlike Light, he didn’t use it.
Instead, he studied it.
He discovered hidden rules,rules even Ryuk didn’t know about.
Then… he made a choice:

He hid the notebook and vanished…

but before leaving, he secretly altered the Death Note's mechanics, unlocking forbidden powers.

Lucian's plan?
Find someone worthy enough to wield the notebook…
and when Light Yagami picked it up, Lucian found his king.

From the shadows, he manipulated everything:

He leaked information to the police to trigger L's involvement.

He made sure Near and Mello were trained as L's successors.

He pushed Kira's rise and L's downfall — exactly as he wanted.

Back to the Present

Near steps closer to Light.

Near:
"Light… you were never the real player. You were just a piece in someone else’s game."

Light frowns but stays silent.
Suddenly, all the screens in the warehouse flicker…
a dark figure appears, wearing black, holding an old, worn-out Death Note.

Lucian:
"Near… you thought you were clever.
But you only solved the puzzle I allowed you to see."

Light’s eyes widen as Lucian continues:

Lucian:
"Light… my king.
The time has come to end this charade."

The Forbidden Rule

One of Near’s men notices something strange…
Lucian’s Death Note has red pages in the back.
Near whispers:

Near:
"That… that can’t be. The Death Note doesn’t have red pages."

Lucian smirks:

Lucian:
"That’s because this isn’t the same Death Note you know.
I unlocked Rule X."

He holds the notebook up to the camera, showing the hidden rule:

Rule X:
“If two Death Notes are synchronized,
the writer of one can rewrite the fate of anyone targeted by the other.”

Light finally understands.
Lucian had synced his notebook with Light’s from the very beginning.
It means… Light can’t lose.

The Twist

Light turns to Near, smirking.

Light:
"Near… you thought you won.
But from the moment I touched the Death Note…
Lucian and I rewrote the ending of this story."

Lucian speaks calmly:

Lucian:
"Near… check your pocket."

Near hesitates, then reaches inside…
he pulls out a small folded page… from Lucian's Death Note.
On it, written in red ink:

“Nate River.” (Near’s real name)

Near freezes. His breathing stops.
Forty seconds later… he collapses to the floor, lifeless.

Everyone stares in shock.

Matsuda:
"N-Near is… dead…?"

Lucian closes his notebook slowly.

Lucian:
"Checkmate."

Final Scene

Months later…
Somewhere deep underground, Light and Lucian sit at a massive chessboard, black and white pieces scattered across the table.

Lucian moves the white king forward, smiling faintly.

Lucian:
"Two kings… ruling one world."

Light looks at his Death Note, then smirks:

Light:

"No gods. No justice.
Only power."

The camera pans up to reveal four synchronized Death Notes stacked neatly on the table.
The lights dim…
and the screen cuts to one final word:

“Checkmate.”